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Hair dryer

Dear Customer
Before using the appliance, the user should read the following instructions carefully.

Connection to the mains supply
The hair dryer should only be connected to an earthed socket installed in accordance with the regulations.
Make sure that the supply voltage corresponds with the voltage marked on the rating label of the hair dryer.
Models with dual-voltage selector:
Models equipped with a dual voltage switch can be set to different supply voltages by using a coin or a similar object. Make sure that the set voltage corresponds with the supply voltage.
This product complies with all binding CE labelling directives.

Important safety instructions

- **Caution:** do not use the appliance near bath tubs, washbasins or any other receptacle containing water.

  Protect the appliance from moisture and splashing water and do not operate it with wet hands.
- In the vicinity of any water source, there is a risk even when the appliance is switched off. Therefore, always remove the plug from the wall socket after use, especially if the appliance is being used in a bathroom.
  Additional protection is available by fitting an earth-leakage circuit-breaker with a rated tripping current not exceeding 30mA into your bathroom installation. Please consult a qualified electrician.
- Electric heating appliances operate at very high temperatures. Do not touch any part of the appliance except the grip. Otherwise there is a real risk of burning.
- Do not use the appliance on synthetic hair-pieces or wigs, as the heat emitted might cause damage to the synthetic fibres.
- Make sure the air intake and outlet openings are not blocked (e.g. by fingers or hair), and that no fluff or fibre particles are allowed to accumulate in the air intake.
  A blockage in the air-flow system may cause the integral thermal safety cut-out to switch off the appliance. Should this occur, immediately disconnect the appliance from the mains power and allow sufficient time for it to cool down before the blockage is removed and the appliance is switched on again.
- Every time the appliance is used, the main body including the power cord as well as any attachment fitted should be checked thoroughly for any defects. Should the appliance, for instance, have been dropped onto a hard surface, it must no longer be used: even invisible damage may have adverse effects on the operational safety of the appliance.
- To prevent damage to the power cord,
  - do not bend or kink the cable, especially where it leaves the housing,
  - do not pull on the cord,
  - do not coil the power cord around the appliance.
- Do not leave the appliance unattended while in use.
- **Always switch off and remove the plug from the wall socket after use, as well as**
  - **in cases of malfunction, and**
  - **during cleaning.**
- When removing the plug from the wall socket, never pull on the power cord; always grip the plug itself.
- Do not place the appliance on any surfaces sensitive to heat during or immediately after use.
- This appliance is not intended for use by any person (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lacking experience and

knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- No responsibility will be accepted if damage results from improper use, or if these instructions are not complied with.
- This appliance is intended for domestic use only and not for commercial applications.
- In order to comply with safety regulations and to avoid hazards, repairs of electrical appliances must be carried out by qualified personnel, including the replacement of the power cord. If repairs are needed, please send the appliance to one of our customer service departments. The addresses can be found in the appendix to this manual.

Operation

Connect the hair dryer to a suitable wall socket and select the desired power setting with the switch integrated in the handle. Depending on the specific model, the hair dryer comes with accessories which can be attached to the air outlet opening.

Cleaning and care

- Before cleaning the hair dryer, remove the plug from the wall socket and let the appliance cool down completely.
- To avoid the risk of electric shock, do not clean the hair dryer with water nor immerse it in water.

– If necessary, the housing of the hair dryer may be wiped with a dry lint-free cloth.
– Always check the air intake openings for accumulated lint particles or hair and - if necessary - remove any found.

Disposal

Do not dispose of old or defective appliances in domestic garbage; this should only be done through public collection points.

Guarantee

This product is guaranteed against defects in materials and workmanship for a period of two years from the date of purchase. Under this guarantee the manufacturer undertakes to repair or replace any parts found to be defective, providing the product is returned to one of our authorised service centres. This guarantee is only valid if the appliance has been used in accordance with the instructions, and provided that it has not been modified, repaired or interfered with by any unauthorised person, or damaged through misuse.

This guarantee naturally does not cover wear and tear, nor breakables such as glass and ceramic items, bulbs etc. If the product fails to operate and needs to be returned, pack it carefully, enclosing your name and address and the reason for return. If within the guarantee period, please also provide the guarantee card and proof of purchase.